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*Report from Santiago—Inspection of vessels—House and water-deposit inspection.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, October 20:

Week ended October 16. Bills of health issued to 8 vessels bound for the United States. No vessel disinfected. No case of quarantinable disease reported.

The sanitary department reports 2,673 houses inspected during the week and larvæ found in 15 water deposits.

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*Report from Guayaquil—Status of plague and yellow fever.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Lloyd reports, October 7:

During the period from September 16 to 30, 38 new cases of plague in Guayaquil, with 15 deaths, and 8 new cases of yellow fever, with 3 deaths, were reported.

*Cholera in Germany.*

The following information is received from the Department of State, under date of October 25:

Consul-General Thackara cables:

One death cholera, Tilsit, October 11; 2 deaths Andraischken district, Niederung, October 16 and 20; 1 case, child, October 24, Heyseekrug district. All cases isolated. Proper precautionary measures being taken. No cases at control stations. Fifteen new stations established to supervise raft and river traffic on Russ, Gilge, Vistula, Oder, Rhine. Authorities consider danger disease spreading slight.

GUATEMALA.

*Report from Puerto Barrios, fruit port.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ames reports as follows:

Week ended October 16. Present officially estimated population, 350. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.
1909.					
Oct. 11	Ponsmina .....	New Orleans via Belize....	81	11	
14	Belize.....	Mobile via Belize.....	18	0	
15	Belverñoñ .....	New Orleans via Belize....	24	0	9

Temperature taken of all persons on board day of sailing.